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In response to the Final Office action mailed January 29, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

Exhibit A (Bowie et al. (1990) *Science* 247:1306-1310) follows the Remarks.

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